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PATENT APPLICATION  
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Attorney Docket Number	500615.20216
First Named Inventor	Yukinobu YUMITA
<b><i>COMPLETE IF KNOWN</i></b>	
Application Number	/ 10/796,843
Filing Date	March 8, 2004
Art Unit	2834
Examiner Name	Unknown

**As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:**

**My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.**

I believe I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

## LINEAR ACTUATOR, AND PUMP DEVICE AND COMPRESSOR DEVICE USING THE SAME

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

is attached hereto

OR  
was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 03/08/2004 as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number 10/796,843 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached? YES	Certified Copy Attached? NO
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